Amendment to Claims

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application.

1-62. (Withdrawn)

63. (Currently Amended) A system for defining and managing a physical asset requiring a plurality of items and components, comprising:

a first data store for item storing specification data, including item attributes, for said first data store comprising:

one or more objects incorporated into or consumed during the creation of the asset, said objects comprising:

one or more data fields for storing item attributes; and

one or more methods;

a second data store for storing "item" data; said data store comprising

one or more data field values;

one or more data input systems for inputting specification "item" (page 27, line 18) data into said first data store;

one or more data input systems for inputting "item" data into said second data store; and

a project management system including a data store interface linking said first data store and said second data store. business objects with specification "item" data.

64. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 63 further including at least one item procurement system, the item procurement system comprising:

one or more data input systems for inputting specification data in said first data store and inputting item data in said second data store including a data store interface allowing modification of specification data.

65. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 63 further including a cost management system, the cost management system comprising:

one or more data input systems for inputting specification data in said first data store and inputting item data in said second data store including a data store interface allowing modification of specification data.

66.(Currently Amended) The system of claim 63 further including an information collection system, said information collection system comprising:

one or more data input systems for inputting specification data in said first data store and inputting item data in said second data store including a data store interface allowing modification of specification data.

67. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 63 wherein the project management system includes multiple projects physical assets.

68. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 63 wherein the data store stores object data by project.

69. (Currently Amended) A system for defining and managing a physical asset requiring a

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plurality of items and components, comprising:
    a first data store for item storing specification data, including item attributes, for said first data store comprising:
        one or more objects incorporated into or consumed during the creation of the asset, said objects comprising:
            one or more data fields for storing item attributes; and
            one or more methods;
        a second data store for storing "item" data; said data store comprising
            one or more data field values;
    one or more data input systems for inputting specification "item" data into said first data store; and
        one or more data input systems for inputting "item" data into said second data store; and
        a teamwork system including a data store interface linking said first data store and said second data store.

70. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 69 further including at least one item procurement system, the item procurement system comprising:
    one or more data input systems for inputting specification data in said first data store and said second data store including a data store interface allowing modification of specification data.

71. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 69 further including a cost management system, the cost management system comprising:
    one or more data input systems for inputting specification data in said first data store and said second data store including a data store interface allowing modification of specification data.

72. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 69 further including a teamwork system including a data store interface linking said first data store and said second data store project management system including a data store interface allowing reference to said first data store and said second data store specification data.

73. (Currently Amended) An application server coupled to a network, comprising:
    a first data store for item storing specification data, including item attributes, for said first data store comprising:
        one or more objects incorporated into or consumed during the creation of the asset, said objects comprising:
            one or more data fields for storing item attributes; and
            one or more methods;
        a second data store for storing "item" data; said data store comprising
            one or more data field values;
    one or more data input systems for inputting specification "item" (page 27, line 18) data into said first data store;
        one or more data input system for inputting "item" data into said second data store; and
        at least one data input and supplement toolset linking said first data store and said second data store. specification data to business objects.

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1 74. (Original) The application server of claim 73 wherein the data input and supplement toolset
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3 75. (Original) The application server of claim 73 wherein the data input and supplement toolset
   includes a cost toolset.
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5 76. (Original) The application server of claim 73 wherein the data input and supplement toolset
   includes a procurement toolset.
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7 77. (Original) The application server of claim 73 wherein the data input and supplement toolset
   includes a project teamwork toolset.

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   78. (Currently Amended) The application server of claim 73 wherein said toolsets modify said
9 ~~database~~ first and second data stores such that each of said ~~toolsets~~ data stores receive
10 information modified by users ~~instantly~~.

11 79. (Original) The application server of claim 73 wherein said network is a private network.

12 80. (Original) The application server of claim 73 wherein said network is a public network.

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   81.(Original) The application server of claim 73 wherein said network is a combination of public
14 and private networks.

15 82. (Original) The application server of claim 73 wherein said network is the Internet, and said
16 application tool sets are provided by said application sever via the Internet to client devices
   responsive to a request from said devices.
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   83. (Original) The application server of claim 82 wherein said server communicates data from
18 said database with said client devices via a secure protocol.

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   84. (Original) The application server of claim 73 wherein said application are configured to run
20 in a browsing application.

21 85. – 105. (Withdrawn)

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